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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Plaintiff,

v.

JEFFREY LEE PARSON,  
Defendant.

CR03 0379 P

INDICTMENT



03-CR-00379-INDI

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

COUNT ONE

**(Intentionally Causing and Attempting to Cause Damage to a Protected Computer)**

Beginning in or about August 2003, and continuing until the present, within the Western District of Washington, and elsewhere, JEFFREY LEE PARSON knowingly caused and attempted to cause the transmission of a program, information, code, and command, that is, an Internet worm and packets of data sent in the form of a distributed denial of service attack, and as a result of that conduct, intentionally caused and attempted to cause damage, without authorization, to protected computers, that is, computers of Microsoft Corporation and other computers throughout the world that were used in interstate or foreign commerce or communication, causing an aggregate loss to Microsoft Corporation and other persons of at least \$5,000 in value during a one-year period.

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1 All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1030(a)(5)(A)(i),  
2 1030(a)(5)(B)(i), 1030(b), and 1030(c)(4)(A), and Section 2.  
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4 A TRUE BILL

5 DATED: 9/10/2003

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